

How to Speak Dragonese

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Summary: A One-Shot. Hiccup looks for his book named "How to Speak Dragonese: By Hiccup." Once he finds it, he reads a few pages, and finally tries to communicate with his best dragon friend, a Night Fury named Toothless.

How to Speak Dragonese

Hiccup rummaged through his closet, looking for a specific book he had wrote a long, long time ago. Before he had befriended Toothless, Hiccup had study dragons, just like the author of Book of Dragons created.

_Finally, I found it! _Hiccup thought, reaching for a green book hidden in-between his helmet and a blanket.

He pulled it out and dusted it off, smiling at the cover of the book.

It read, "How to Speak Dragonese: By Hiccup."

Toothless tilted his head and poked it with his snout, sneezing from the dust entering his nose.

"With this, bud," Hiccup said, getting up and sitting on his bed, "I can finally know how to speak to you and understand you," Hiccup finished with delight and excitement.

Toothless sat on his haunches and watched the boy open the book up to the first page, focusing hard on whatever he was seeing.

Curious, Toothless got onto his paws and crawled over to the boy, sniffing the book and craning his neck to see whatever his friend was seeing in the book.

The Night Fury saw black written words, probably from his human.

There were pictures of dragons and there were also numbers, and the drawings were beautifully colored with colors and markings.

The boy turned the page and Toothless sparked up in curiosity. On the next page, there was a picture of him! The picture of him was perched on a rock, gobbling up a fish.

Hiccup turned the page over and then on both pages there were only black words. Boredom got over Toothless and he moved his snout out of the way, sniffing Hiccup's legs and lying down next to them.

Wow, Toothless thought in awe, looking up at his rider.

He is really focused on reading thatâ€¦!

Suddenly, Hiccup closed the book and glanced over to Toothless.

"Alright, I hope Toothless understands me," Hiccup said, and Toothless watched him.

"**Can you understand me?**" Hiccup asked, surprisingly in Dragonese.

Toothless raised his head in shock and clicked his tongue at Hiccup, then thumped his tail happily.

"**Sure, I can understand you, but, how?" **Toothless replied back, jumping to his feet.

"YES!" Hiccup said back in Norse, hopping from his bed and smiling at his friend.

"You understand me, bud." Hiccup said in Norse, even though Toothless can still understand him. You're probably thinking, "Why does Hiccup have to learn a new language to communicate with Toothless if Toothless already knows Norse?" Well, Toothless doesn't really know _everything _Hiccup says to someone else in his language.

"**How do you understand me?" **Toothless asked in disbelief, turning in circles and glaring at his human.

"**I am speaking in Dragonese. You know what Dragonese is, right?" **

"**Yes, I know what Dragonese is!" **Toothless answered back, licking his human happily.

"**Now we can finally know what each other are saying!" **Toothless cheered, bouncing around the room in joy, his tongue lolling freely.

"**Yes, that's right, bud." **Hiccup said, opening the book again and reading what it had written inside.

"Come on, bud," Hiccup said in Norse, and ran towards the steps.

"Let's get to the cove and practice some more!"

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